S. No.	State/Union Territory	No. of PHC
12.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1
13.	Nagaland	1
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	1
15.	Mizoram	1
16.	Madhya Pradesh	2
17.	Tripura	1
18.	Bihar	2
19.	Arunachal Pradesh	1
20.	Maharashtra	2
	TOTAL :	25

Offer from NRIs for Medical equipments

3094 .SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that most of the hospitals in the country have obsolete medical equipments;

(b) whether Government have received any offer from NRIs for supply of modern equipments for better health care in the country, especially in rural areas; and

(c) if so, what are the details of the offer and what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Though the Government has not received any specific offer from NRIs in the recent past for supply of modern equipments, there is a collaborative Scheme for Continuing Medical Education with Association of Indian Doctors in USA under which equipments etc. are being supplied to some institutions through the Medical Council of India.

Setting up of Regional Clinical Pathological Laboratories

3095. SHRI SYED SIBTEY RAZI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some Regional Clinical Pathological Laboratories have been set up in Delhi;

(b) if so, what are the functions of these laboratories;

(c) whether any criteria have been laid down to enable the CGHS beneficiaries to avail of services of these laboratories;

(d) if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefor;

(e) what services are being provided by these Laboratories;

(f) whether such clinical laboratories are working in all States and Union Territories; and

(g) if so, what are their locations, State Union, Territory-wise and if not what are the reasons for its establishment in Delhi only?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) The following Pathological tests are conducted in these laboratories.

(1) Urine Routine Examination, Urine for Albumin, Sugar, Micro-Scopic for RBC, Pus Cell, Crysts, Bile Salts, Bile Pigments and Acetone.

(2) Stool for Ova Cysts, Trophozoites Pus Cells, RBC anl Occult Blood tests.

(3) Blood examination for Hb, RBC, TLC, DLC; ESR; Blood (Biochemistry) for Sugar, Urea and Cholesterol. Besides these tests, the Polyclinic Laboratories functioning at Pusa Road and Kasturba Nagar Labs are performing the following tests also;

(i) Urine for pregnancy tests on requisition by Gynaecologists working at CGHS Pusa Road Polyclinic.

(ii) Blood for ABO RH groups for antenatal cases on requisition by Gynaecologist working at CGHS Pusa Road Polyclinic.

(iii) Blood for RBC morphology for typing of Anaemia and Heomoparaites like MP and Microfilaria.

(c) The CGHS beneficiaries can avail the laboratories facilities on the advice of CGHS Specialists/Medical Officers of the dispensary.

(d) In view of (c) above, the question does not arise.

(e) The services provided by the Laboratories are given above in reply to part (b) of the question.

(f) and (g) The number and location of clinical laboratories working in States and Union Territores are given in the Statement attached.

Statement

Number of Laboratories under CGHS outside Delhi

Bombay	11
Meerut	1
Kanpur	3
Calcutta	4
Nagpur	1
Madras	2
Bangalore	2
Hyderabad	3
Patna	2
Pune	1
Jaipur	1
Ahmedabad	1
Lucknow	1

CGHS Dispensaries in Delhi

East Zone	South Zone	Central Zone	North Zone
Darya Ganj	Kasturba Nagar I	Faridabad	Ashok Vihar
Kingsway Camp	Laxmibai Nagar	Chitra Gupta Road;	Dev Nagar
Rajpur Road	Moti Bagh	Minto Road	Pusa Road
Shahdara	R.K. Puram-III	Gurgaon	Rajouri Garden
	Sarojini Nagar Market	Parliament House Annexe	Shakurbasti
	Lajpat Nagar	Central Sectt.	Subzimandi
	M.B. Road	Ghaziabad	Tilak Nagar
	Kalkaji-I	Wellesly Road	Pachim Vihar
	Maternity & Gyneo. Hospital, R.K.-Puram		Nangal Raya
			Vivek Vihar

Setting up of Leprosy Control Units

3096. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR SAHU: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Government's priorities/strategy for early detection and regular treatment of leprosy cases;

(b) the number of cases detected and treated since 1985-86 and the targets thereof; and

(c) the number of Leprosy Control Units, Survey, Education and Treatment (SST) Centres, Urban Leprosy Centres, Modified Leprosy Control Units and District Leprosy Units targetted and achieved/set up so far and proposed to be set-up in the near future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) Government's priorities/strategies for early detection of cases include:

(i) National Leprosy Eradication Programme (NLEP) implemented as 100 per cent Centrally Sponsored Scheme.

(ii) Under the programme, leprosy cases are detected through mass survey, contart survey, school survey, field/house visits by leprosy workers and voluntary reporting.

(iii) Mounting of Health Education activities.

(b) The number of new Leprosy cases detected and treated year-wise are given below:—

(in lakhs)

Year	Number of Detected cases	Treatment
1985-86	4·77	4·50
1986-87	5·08	4·80
1987-88	5·19	4·99
1988-89	4·74	4·65
1989-90	4·66	4·62
1990-91	4·68	4·61
1991-92 (Jan. 92)	3·78	3·69